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In re application of: Sang-Nyun KIM et al.

Appl. No.: 10/073,021

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For: USE OF $[\gamma$ -HYDROXY-N-

METHYL-LEUCINE⁹]
CYCLOSPORIN A FOR HAIR

GROWTH

Art Unit: 1654

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

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REQUEST FOR REFUND

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

On April 16, 2002, Applicants filed the above-identified National Stage Application (claiming priority to Korean Application No. 2001-7263), paying a total filing fee of \$410.00, including a \$370.00 filing fee, and an Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 and authorizing this payment to be charged to our Deposit Account 22-026. The filing fee authorized was based on those applicable to a small-entity (37 C.F.R. § 1.27).

At the time of filing this application, the undersigned attorney believed that the Assignee was entitled to claim Small Entity Status. Since February 12, 2002, however, the undersigned attorney has received confirmation from the Assignee that it has in excess of 500 employees, and is thus not qualified for small entity status.

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Submitted concurrently with the Letter dated April 13, 2002, requesting was a check (#P410089) for the balance of the filing fee in the amount of \$370.00, bringing the total fees paid to that of a large entity, namely \$780.00, inclusive of the \$40.00 Assignment recordation fee, which is unaffected.

On September 13, 2002, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office erroneously deducted, in light of our payment by check, \$370.00 from our deposit account. Please refund the difference of the filing fee in the amount of \$370.00 between small entity and large entity. Please credit the refunded amount to our Deposit Account No. 22-0261 and notify the undersigned accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

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